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The Van Nuys Woman's Club

FIFTY-SEVENTH PROGRAM YEAR 1969-1970

VAN NUYS WOMAN'S CLUB
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1980-1981

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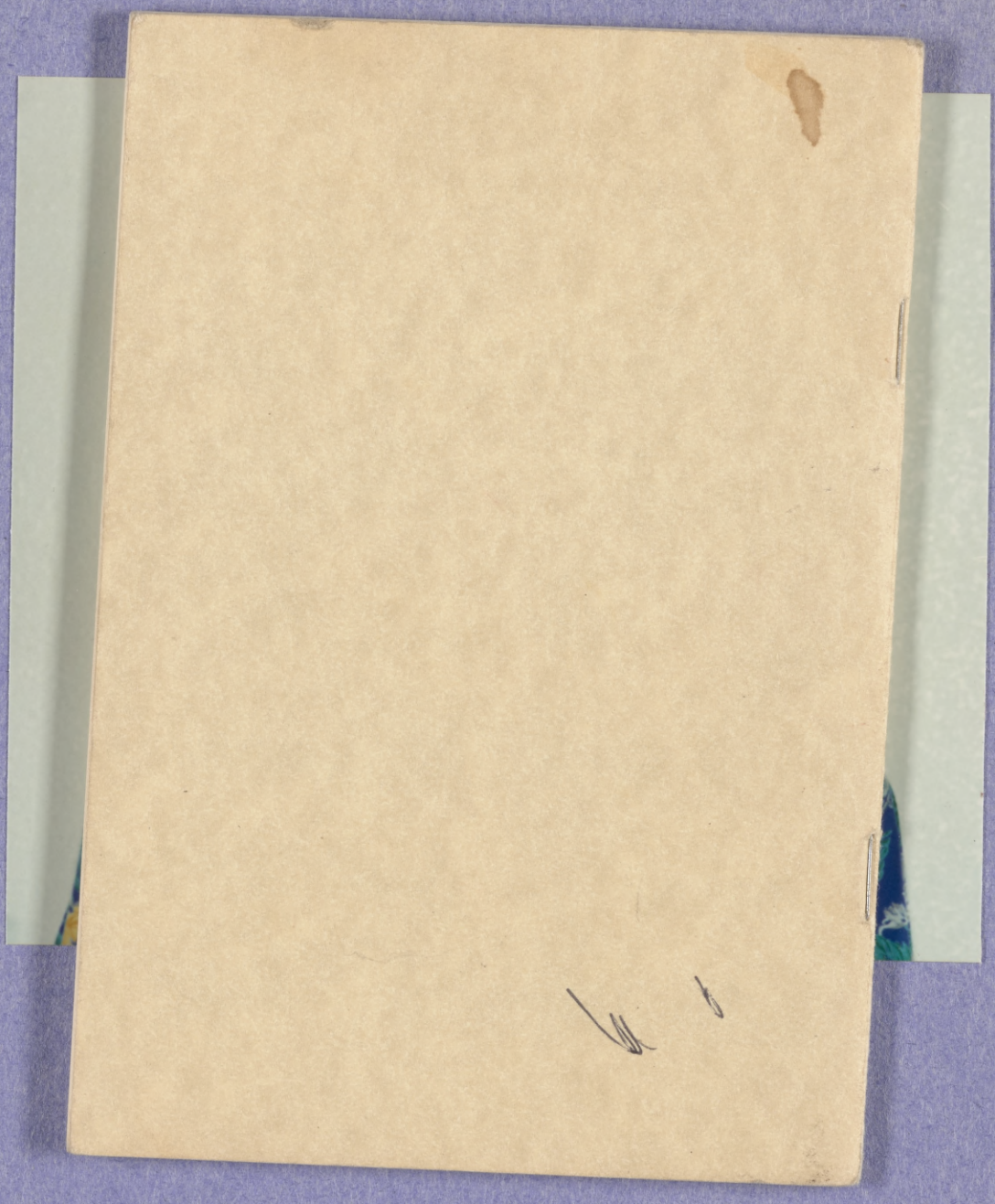
President 1985-1987



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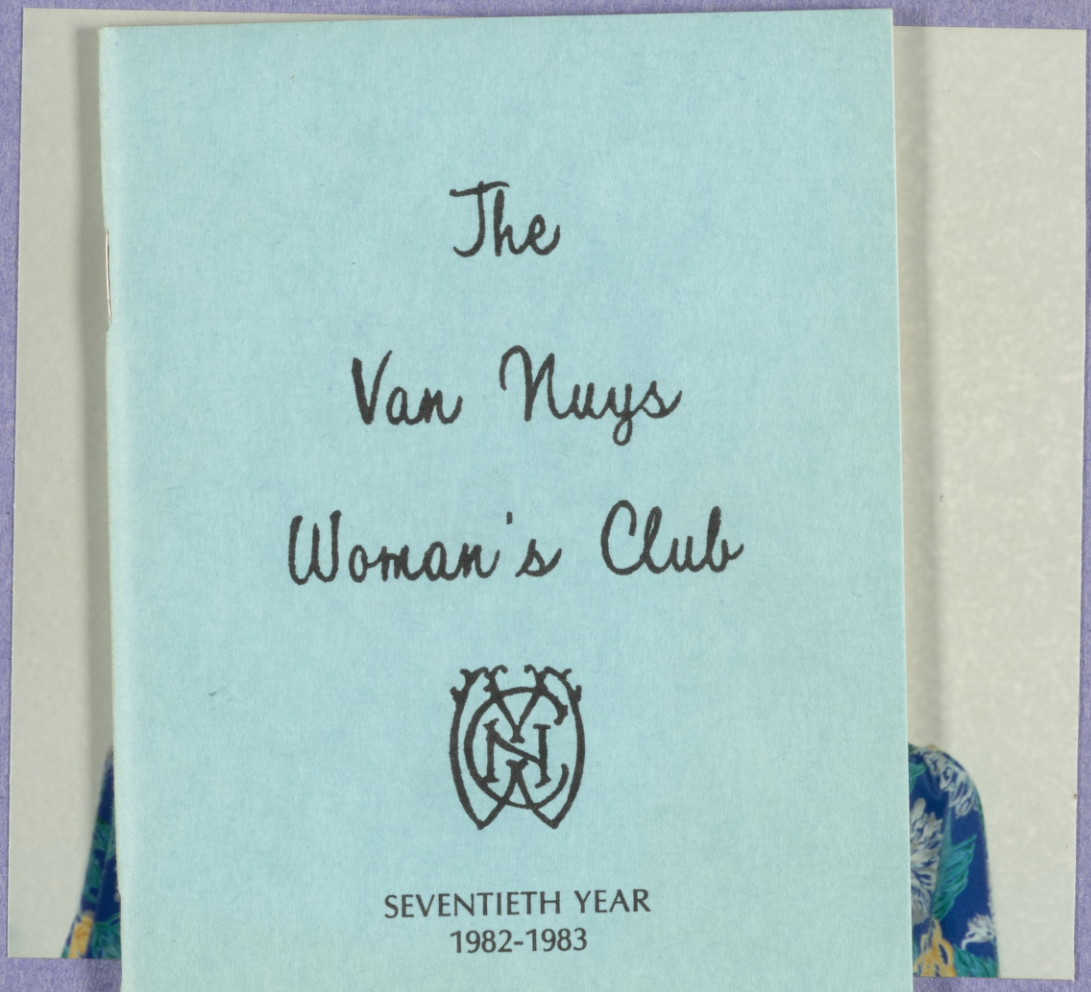

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SEVENTIETH YEAR
1982-1983

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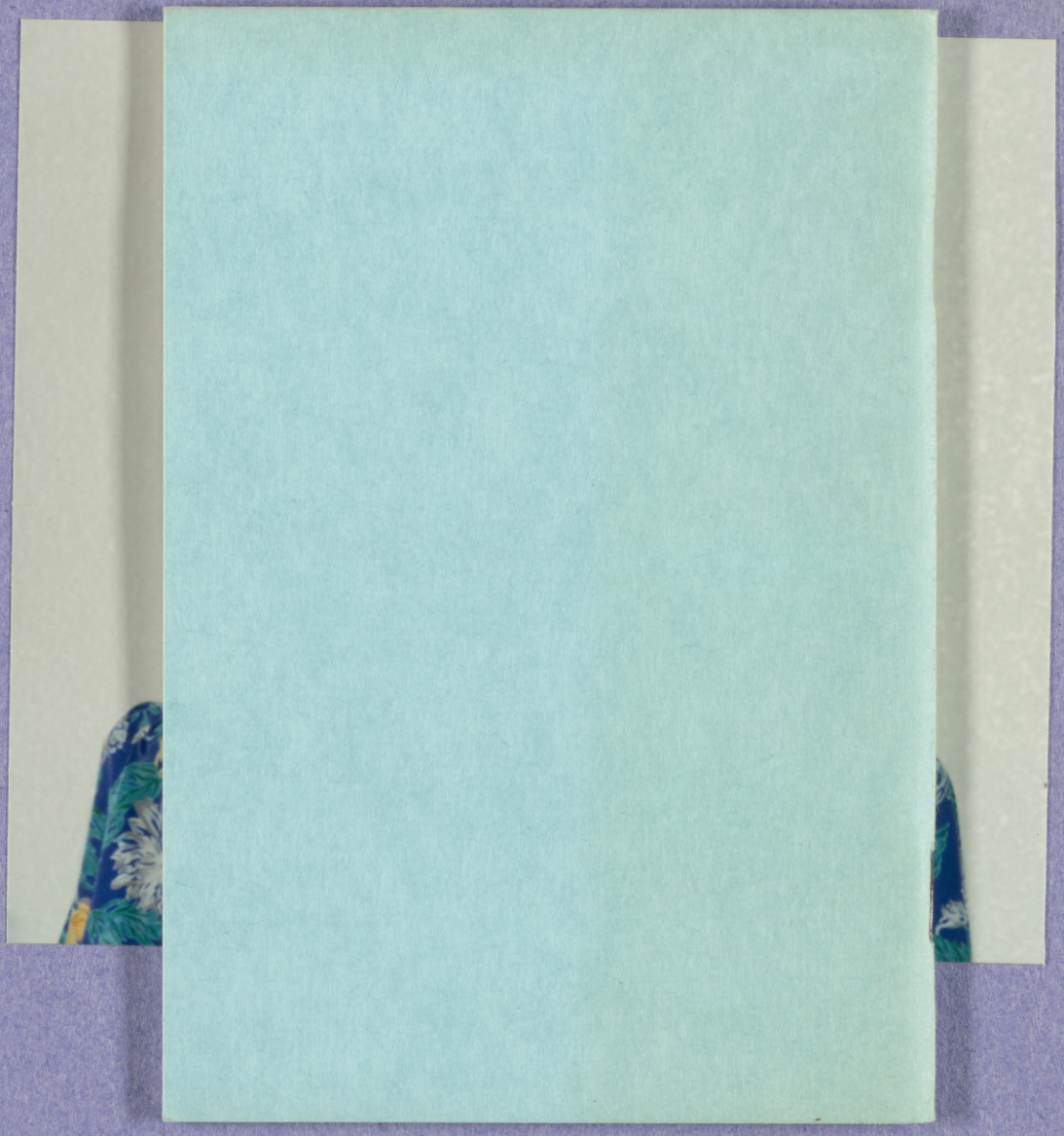

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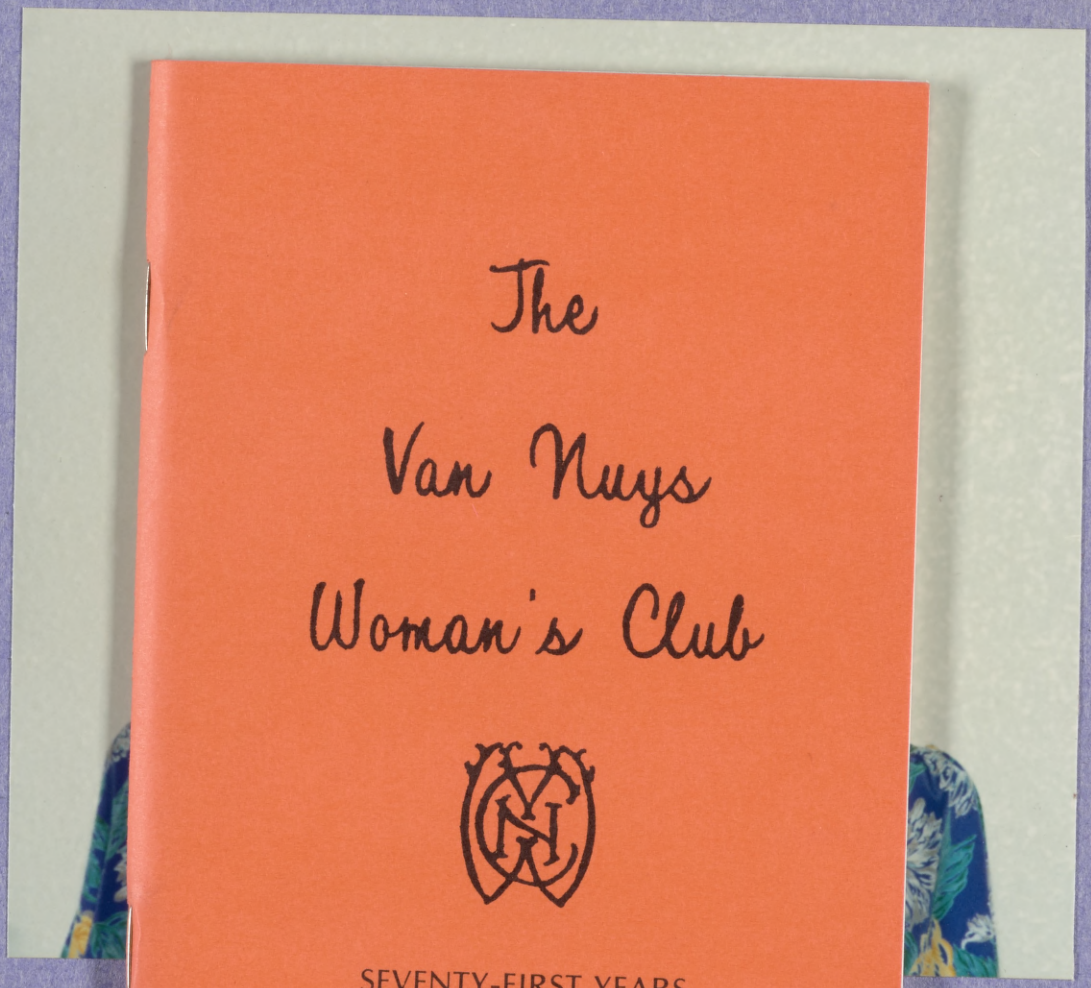

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SEVENTY-FIRST YEARS
1983-1984

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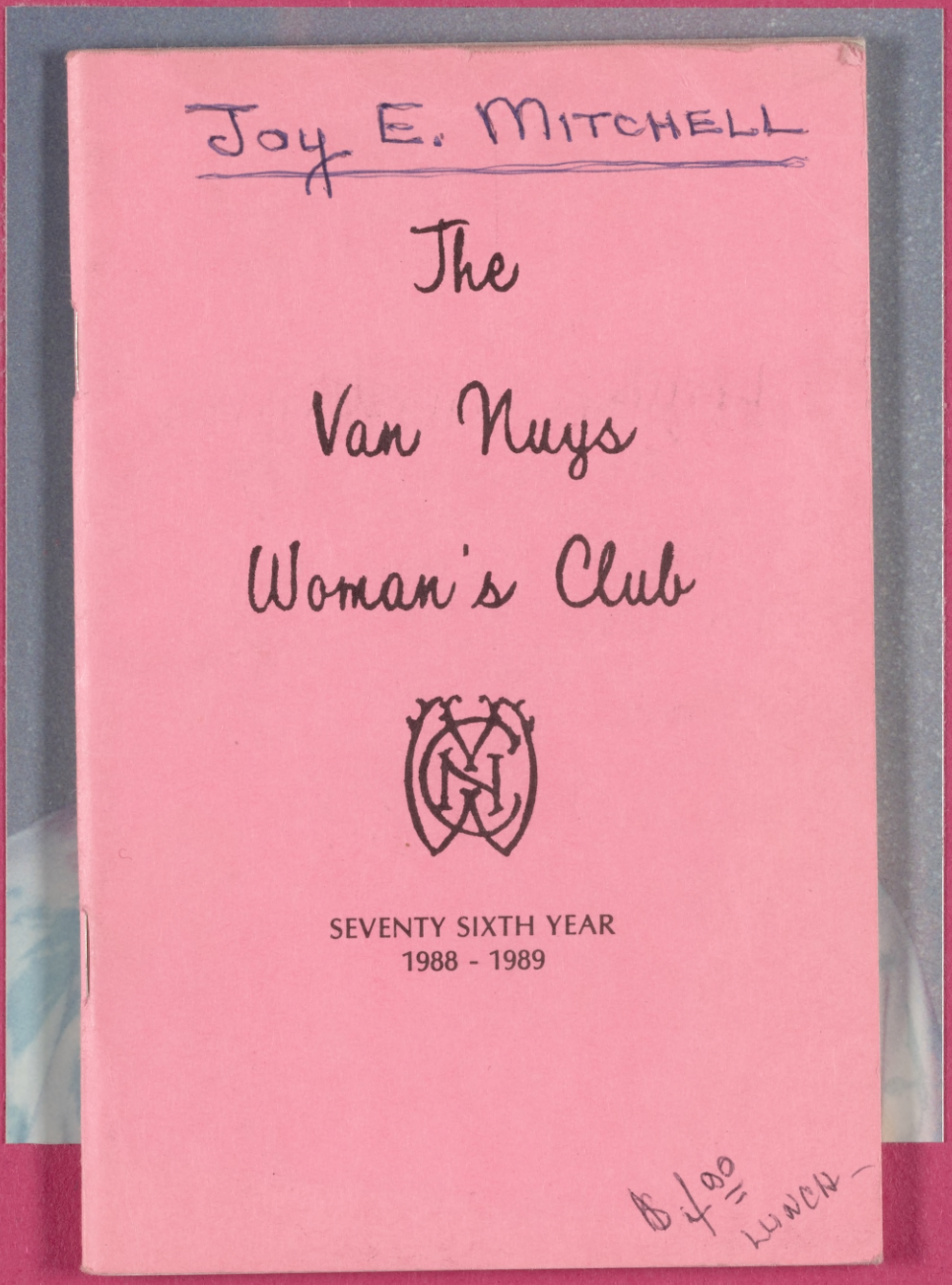
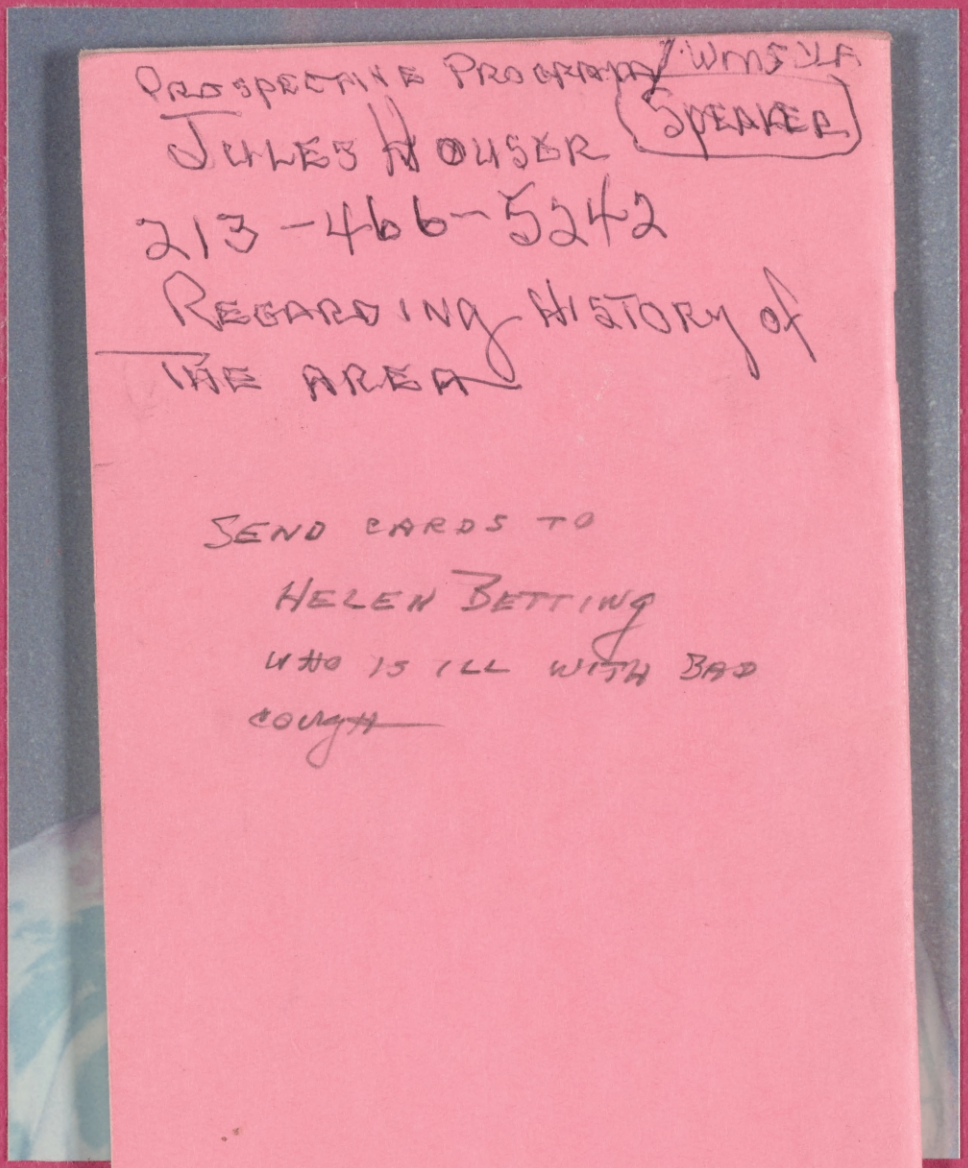
Dorthea Neel
President 1987-1990
Third term of Office



Helen Flannagan
President 1990-1991



PROSPECTIVE PROGRAM / WMSLA

JULES HOUSER (SPEAKER)

213-466-5242

REGARDING HISTORY OF THE AREA

SEND CARDS TO

HELEN BETTING

WHO IS ILL WITH BAD COUGH

Helen Flannagan
President 1990-1991

Helen Flannagan
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CATHERINE D. ROBBINS 1991–1993

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The building was designated as a Los Angeles Cultural Heritage Building (#201) in August 1978.

NEWSLETTER

"VANGUARD" is published four times a year- November, January March and May. It gives news of future Club meetings and programs.

Newsbrief and important dates are in each issue for future reference.

MEETINGS

General Meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday.

Luncheon is at 12 noon.
Business Meeting at 12:45.
Followed by a program.

Garden and Bridge Section meets on the 1st Wednesday.

Meeting is at 11:00am.
Lunch at 11:30 followed by Bridge and Canasta until 3:00pm.

THE VAN NUYS WOMAN'S CLUB
14836 Sylvan Street
Van Nuys, CA 91411

Clubhouse Phone: 818-997-9093

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American Red Cross

Children of the Night

Dogs for the Deaf

Heart Fund

International Guiding Eye, Inc.

L. A. Police Memorial Fund

Meals for the Homebound

Olive View Medical Center Auxiliary

Salvation Army

Sepulveda Veteran's Hospital

Sylvan Park School

Van Nuys Library for Memorials

Van Nuys Library for Books

Y.M.C.A.

GARDEN CLUB PHILANTHROPIES

Penny for Pines

Tree People

Theodore Payne Foundation

SCHOLARSHIPS

Van Nuys High School

Valley College Nursing

Sierra - Cahuenga District

FEDERATION FACTS

General Federation of Women's Clubs (GFWC) is the largest oldest interdominational, nonpartisan, international service group of volunteer women in the world.

Established in 1890, it now has ten million members in forty-six countries around the world.

California Federation of Women's Clubs (CFWC) was chartered in 1900.

Sierra - Cahuenga Distrist #15 is our link to the State Federation.

The State Motto, "Strength United is Stronger" reminds us that through the united efforts of the club women of California it is possible to accomplish many things for the benefit of the people of the state.

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YEAR BOOK

1992-1993

ORGANIZED
APRIL 3, 1912

FEDERATED
JULY 1912

INCORPORATED
OCTOBER 1916

MEETINGS

CLUB HOUSE
SECOND AND FOURTH
WEDNESDAY

LUNCHEON
12 O'CLOCK NOON

MEMBERS 64

TELEPHONE 818-997-9093
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VAN NUYS, CA. 91411

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HISTORY OF THE VAN NUYS WOMAN'S CLUB

1912-1993

On February 22, 1911, the town of Van Nuys was founded, and little more than a year later on the afternoon of Wednesday, April 3, 1912, sixteen women of the community met at the home of Mrs. H. S. Trotter for the purpose of organizing a woman's club. Mrs. Trotter was chosen to serve as the chairman and Mrs. W. A. Bowen as secretary.

The purpose of the new organization, to be known as the Van Nuys's Woman's Club was defined as: The promotion of mutual information of its members along social, literary and civic lines.

Dues for the first year were $1.00, with business meetings scheduled for alternate Wednesday, at 3 o'clock, following a half hour of social programs.

At the first regular meeting, held at the home of Mrs. Bachtelheimer, April 17, 1912, the Constitution and Bylaws were adopted as presented.

Mrs. H. S. Trotter was elected president.

One of the first acts was to apply for membership in the California Federation of Women's Clubs and the Los Angeles District, which application was granted in July, 1912.

The clubhouse was built on a lot given the club by Mrs. Ida Bailey on Virginia Street (now Sylvan Street) with an option to buy the adjoining lot for %550.00. Mrs. Elizabeth E. Houghton offered to lend the club $3,000.00 to build the clubhouse. The offer was accepted.

The cornerstone was laid March 16, 1917.

The club was able to hold its Annual Meeting April 25, 1917, in their building.

The membership at the peak of its growth was 250.

It has been one of the most honored clubs in the San Fernando Valley with a very proud history of civic awareness.

Designated Los Angeles Cultural Heritage building #201, August 1978.

Dorothea M. Neel

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE
1992-1993

"Helping each other through
life's changing times"

If you want to be happy,
Begin where you are,
Don't wait for some rapture
That is future and far.

Begin to be joyous,
Begin to be glad
And soon you'll forget
That you ever were sad.

Sincerely,

Kay Robbins
President

A COLLECT FOR CLUBWOMEN

Keep us, O God, from pettiness; let us be large in thought, in word, in deed.

Let us be done with fault-finding and leave off self-seeking.

May we put away all pretense and meet each other face to face without self-pity and without prejudice.

May we never be hasty in judgment and always generous.

Let us take time for all things; make us grow calm, serene, gentle.

Teach us to put into action our better impulses, straightforward and unafraid.

Grant that we may realize it is the little things, that create differences; that in the big things of life we are at one.

And may we strive to touch and know the great common woman's heart of us all, and, O Lord God, let us not forget to be kind!

--Mary Stewart
Colorado, 1904

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HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS

All Past Presidents
Ruth Eaton
Laura Messineo
Ena Williamson
Margaret Wuest

COMPLIMENTARY MEMBERS

Wives of all resident ministers

IN REMEMBERANCE

Laura King
Evelyn Landon
Lillian Slack

"Our memories will never grow dim for those who have crossed the path ahead of us."

FLAG SALUTE

"I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands. One Nation under God, indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for all."

AMERICA

My country, 'tis of thee
Sweet land of liberty,
Of thee I sing.
Land where my fathers died,
Land of the Pilgrim's pride!
From ever'ry mountain side.
Let freedom ring!

AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL

O beautiful for spacious skies,
  For amber waves of grain,
For purple mountain Majesties
  Above the fruit'ed plain
America! America!
  God shed His grace on thee
And crown thy good with brotherhood
  From Sea to shining Sea.

GOD BLESS AMERICA

God bless America, Land that I love
  Stand beside her, and guide her,
Through the night with a light from above,
  from the mountains, to the prairies
To the oceans, white with foam.
God bless America, My home sweet home
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SIERRA-CAHUENGA DISTRICT #15

PRESIDENT.....Mrs. Beverly Cornell
2353 W. Avenue, J -12
Lancaster, CA 93536

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY. Mrs. C. Leonard
8684 Costello Avenus
Panorama City, CA 91402

LOCAL HONORS

Mrs.Dorthea Neel..Past District President
Mrs. Charlotte Funk...California History,
Landmarks, Museums.

CONVENTIONS 1993

Sierra-Cahuenga District.April 15-16-17
Radisson Hotel, Simi

State Convention.....May 13-14-15-16
Marriott, L.A.

SPECIAL EVENTS

FRIENDSHIP Fantasy Fashion.Show March 5

Birthday Council Executive Board
March 15
The Woman's Club of Burbank

Fine Arts Festivel.....March 30
Reseda Woman's Club

VAN NUYS WOMAN'S CLUB PHILANTHROPIES

CLUB SCHOLARSHIPS

District Scholarship Fund
Van Nuys High School English Awards
Valley College Nurse Scholarship

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YMCA

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PAST PRESIDENTS

- Mrs. Lucy Trotter Smead 1912-1914
- Mrs. Elizabeth Houghton 1914-1916
- Mrs. Sara Kellogg 1916-1918
- Mrs. Carl Barkla 1918-1920
- Mrs. Phoebe Hubbel 1920-1922
- Mrs. Charles H. Steere 1922-1924
- Mrs. B. R. Holloway 1924-1926
- Mrs. E. A. Moehn 1926-1928
- Mrs. W. J. Murray 1928-1929
- Mrs. Charles I. Thacker 1929-1931
- Mrs. Belle Bever 1931-1933
- Mrs. J. W. Praiswater 1933-1935
- Mrs. W. J. Murray 1935-1936
- Mrs. L. A. Mountford 1936-1938
- Mrs. Portia Young Campbell 1938-1940
- Mrs. James Wilbray 1940-1942
- Mrs. H. S. Brown 1942-1944
- Mrs. Garnet Zarn Tingle 1944-1946
- Mrs. Ross Rook 1946-1947
- Mrs. Milo Thompson 1947-1948
- * Mrs. Harold Orner 1948-1950

Mrs. Lloyd G. Rainey 1950-1952

- Mrs. Raymond Post 1952-1953
- * Mrs. George O. Chapman 1953-1955
- Mrs. Howell C. McDaniel 1955-1957

Mrs. J. Howard Wilson 1957-1958

- Mrs. George L. Baker 1958-1959

Mrs. James L. Neel 1959-1961

- Mrs. Lewis M. Reed 1961-1963

Mrs. Robert L. Ellis 1963-1965

- * Mrs. Andrew Hamilton 1965-1967
- * Mrs. John Osborn 1967-1969

Mrs. David Moore 1969-1970
Mrs. Edward Traurig 1970-1973
Mrs. Robert Ellis 1973-1975
Mrs. James L. Neel 1975-1979

- * Mrs. George O. Chapman 1979-1980

Mrs. James E. O'Leary 1980-1983
Mrs. George R. Lewis 1983-1985
Mrs. Clarence Funk 1985-1987
Mrs. James L. Neel 1987-1990
Mrs. Helen Flannagan 1990-1991

* Denotes deceased

EXECUTIVE BOARD

PRESIDENT . . . . . .Mrs. Catherine Robbins
13137 Crewe Street
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Van Nuys, 91405 780-2038

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15733 Hart Street
Van Nuys, 91406 786-5019

DIRECTORS

Amenities . . . . . Mrs. Dorothy Burgert
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Hospitality . . . . . .Mrs. Betty Williams
Press and Vanguard . . . . . .Mrs. La Verne Butts
House and Rentals . . . . . .Mrs. Norma Mason
Program . . . . . .Mrs. Rhoda Petty
Ways and Means . . . . . .Mrs. Hilma Clifford

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BOARD MEETINGS

HOSTESSES
1992 - 1993

1992

July 14 .....Betty Williams

August 4 .....Ann Bennaton &
Rhoda Petty

September 1 ..... Nancy LoFiego
& LaVerne Butts

October 6.....Neva Hines

November 3.....Hilma Clifford

December 1.....Dorthy Burgert

1993

January 5.....Alyce Arnold

February 2.....Dorthea Neel

March 2.....Helen Flannagan

April 6 ..... Norma Mason

May 4.....Lillian Martin

& Charline Cary

June 1 ..... Kay Robbins

CLUB CHAIRMEN & COMMITTEES

ACCOMPIANIST . . . . . Joy Mitchell
CREATIVE ARTS. . . . . Arminda Doggett
BY-LAWS AND RESOLUTIONS . . . . . Helen Flannagan
FINANCE AND BUDGET . . . . . Charline Cary
Lillian Martin
Norma Mason
Neva Hines
Kay Robbins
MUSIC . . . . . Margaret Wuest
FRIENDSHIP. . . . . Dorothy Burgert
HISTORIAN . . . . . La Verne Butts
LUNCHEONS . . . . . Norma and Jack Mason
RESERVATIONS . . . . . Laura Messineo
and Florence Kaatz
VANGUARD AND PRESS . . . . . La Verne Butts

FEDERATION CHAIRMEN

AMERICAN HERITAGE . . . . . Alyce Arnold
CREATIVE ARTS. . . . . Arminda Doggett
HEALTH . . . . . .Dorothy Lewis
SCHOLARSHIP AND SCHOOL ISSUES . . . .Neva Hines
SPIRITUAL VALUES. . . . . .Florence Scorpio
VETERAN'S AFFAIRS . . . . . Laura Messineo

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TABLE DECORATIONS AND NAPKINS

CHAIRMAN . . . . . Dorothy Lewis

October 14 Federation and Reciprosity Dorothy Lewis
28 Hallowe'en . . . . . Charlotte Funk

November 11 Veterans' Day amd Thanksgiving . . . Doris Tyer

December 9 Christmas. . . . . Dorothy Lewis

1993

January 13 Regular Meeting. . . . .Ann Bennaton
23 Regular Meeting. . . Florence Scorpio

February 10 Valentines and Lincoln Birthday . . . La Verne Butts
24 Regular Meeting. . . .Helen Flannagan

March 10 St. Patrick's Day . . . Nancy Lo Fiego
24 Easter . . . . . .Arminda Doggett

April 14 Regular Meeting . . . . Jo Minadeo
28 Regular Meeting . . . Hilma Clifford

May 12 Charter and Past Presidents' Day. . . Melody Carver
26 Scholarship Day OPEN

June 9 Installation . . . . Betty Williams

GARDEN AND CARD SECTION

CHAIRMAN . . . . . Nancy LoFiego

CO-CHAIRMAN . . . . . Charlotte Funk

RECORDING SECRETARY . . . . . Rhoda Petty

TREASURER. . . . . .Ann Bennaton

WAYS AND MEANS . . . . . Laura Messineo

INSPIRATIONAL . . . . . Neva Hines

TIMELY TOPICS . . . . Jimmye Lou Harris-Davidson

MONEY FOR PINES . . . . . LaVerne Butts

CITZENSHIP . . . . . LaVerne Butts

REFRESHMENTS. . . . . .

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE

CHAIRMAN . . . . . Betty Williams

COMMITTEE MEMBERS . . . . . Sylvia Benoit
Dorothy Burgert
Ann Clark
Ruth (Tiny) Eaton
Frances Glahn
Dorothy Lewis
Doris Tyer

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CALENDAR OF YEAR'S ACTIVITIES

1992 - 1993

OCTOBER 1992

October 7
11:00 AM
Garden and Card Section
Business Meeting
Dessert and Cards

October 14
1:00 PM
OPENING TEA - FEDERATION AND RECIPROCITY DAY
Program : Don Snyder
Hostesses: Hospitality Committee and Board members
Tea will be served following the program

October 28
12:00 Noon
REGULAR MEETING
Luncheon
Business Meeting
Program: "Health and Nutrition"
Everywoman's Village

NOVEMBER 1992

November 4
11:00 AM
GARDEN AND CARD SECTION
Business Meeting
Dessert and Cards

November 11
11:00AM
12:00 Noon
BOUTIQUE AND REGULAR MEETING
BOUTIQUE
Luncheon
Business Meeting
Program: Travelogue by Betty Williams
" The Mediterrean Area"

DECEMBER 1992

December 2
11:00 AM
GARDEN AND CARD SECTION
CHRISTMAS PARTY AND GIFT EXCHANGE
Dessert and Cards

December 9
11;00 AM
12:00 Noon
CHRISTMAS BAKE SALE AND MEETING
BAKE SALE
Luncheon
Business Meeting
Program: "The Madrigal Singers"
North Hollywood High School

JANUARY 1993

January 6
11:00 AM
GARDEN AND CARD SECTION
Business Meeting
Dessert and Cards

January 13
12:00
REGULAR MEETING
Luncheon
Business Meeting
Program: "Show Stoppers"
Betty Kay

January 27
12:00 Noon
REGULAR MEETING
Luncheon
Business Meeting
Program: Dr. Thomas Andrews
Book Review

FEBRUARY 1993

February 3
11:00 AM
GARDEN AND CARD SECTION
Business Meeting
Dessert and Cards

February 10
12:00 Noon
POT LUCK LUNCHEON AND MEETING
POT LUCK LUNCHEON -GUESTS WELCOME!
Business Meeting
Program: Violeta Quintera
Spanish Singer

February 24
12:00 Noon
SYLVAN PARK SCHOOL DAY
Luncheon
Sylvan Park Essay Winners
Business Meeting
Program: "Unusual Happenings at the Zoo"
Mary Wood

MARCH 1993

March 3
11:00 AM
GARDEN AND CARD SECTION
Business Meeting
Dessert and Cards

March 10
12:00 Noon
REGULAR MEETING
Luncheon
Business Meeting
Program: "Ireland by Camera"
Dr. David Cary

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March 24 — REGULAR MEETING
12:00 Noon — Luncheon
Business Meeting
Program: Marian Bartoo plays "Psaltery"

APRIL 1993

April 7 — GARDEN AND CARD SECTION
11:00 AM — Business Meeting
"Easter Bonnet Parade"
Salad Bar Luncheon
Cards

April 14 — REGULAR MEETING
12:00 Noon — Luncheon
Business Meeting
Program: Homer Maranville sings "Familiar Favorites"

April 28 — REGULAR MEETING
12:00 Noon — Luncheon
Business Meeting
Program: Patti Spender & Richard Turnblade - "Two Hearts that Sing Broadway"

MAY 1993

May 5 — GARDEN AND CARD SECTION
11:00 AM — Business Meeting
Dessert and Cards

May 12 — CHARTER DAY HONORING PAST PRESIDENTS
12:00 Noon — Luncheon
Business Meeting
Program: "Valley Harmonettes"
Elaine Rich, Conductor

May 26 — SCHOLARSHIP DAY AND MEETING
12:00 Noon — Luncheon
Awards to Van Nuys High School English Department English students and Valley College Nursing Student
Program: Los Angles Valley College Chamber Singers

JUNE 1993

June 2 — GARDEN AND CARD SECTION
11:00 AM — Business Meeting
Dessert and Cards

June 9 — INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS
12:00 Noon — Luncheon
Business Meeting
Program: Installation of Officers

JULY 1993

July 7 — GARDEN AND CARD SECTION
Business Meeting
Dessert and Cards

AUGUST 1993

August 4 — GARDEN AND CARD SECTION
11:00 AM — Business Meeting
Dessert and Cards

SEPTEMBER 1993

September 1 — GARDEN AND CARD SECTION
11:00 Noon — Business Meeting
Dessert and Cards

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CLUB MEMBERS

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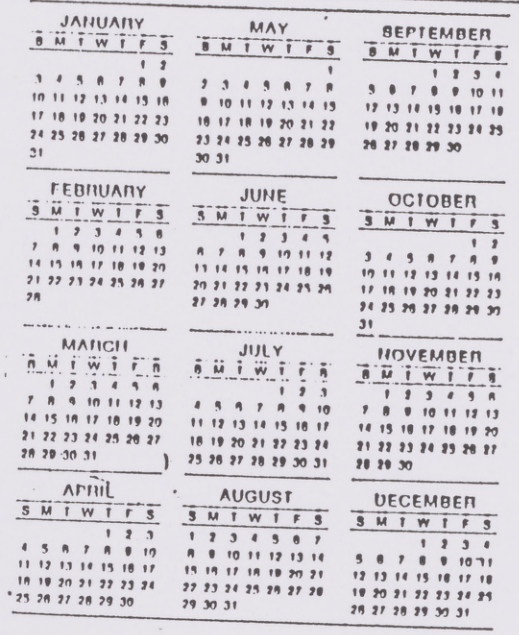

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STANDING RULES

1. Scholarships shall be given yearly at the discretion of the Board.

2. At each meeting all guests shall sign the register.

3. Standing luncheon reservations may be made at the beginning of each club year. Reservations may be cancelled as late as 12:00 noon on Monday preceding a meeting. Members will be held responsible for all reservations not cancelled.

4. No properties of the Club shall be loaned or removed from the premises without permission of the Board. Nor shall the piano be removed from the stage.

5. The Parliamentarian shall sit in on the Executive Board meetings and she shall have voting privileges.

6. There shall be a Finance Committee, its membership to be composed of the Treasurer, Financial Secretary, Rental and House Chairman, and a club member appointed by the President.

7. In the absence of the Treasurer, the President shall have the power to sign all checks.

8. Each new member may be a guest of the Club for one luncheon.

9. Each new member upon payment of the Annual Dues and the Federation Dues shall be required to sign the By-Laws.

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10. Upon request of a member, a non-resident guest may be issued a visitor's permit. Said permit shall be for a 6 month period on payment of $10.00.

11. The books of the Treasurer, Financial Secretary and Rental Chairman shall be audited annually.

12. Expenses of the President to the District Convention shall be paid by the Club. Registration fees for all delegates shall be paid by the Club.

13. Procedure books, keys and any other material or records pertinent to each office and committee shall be maintained and handed on by each officer and chairman to her successor, obtaining a receipt for same.

14. Each officer and chairman of a committee shall render in triplicate a written report of her year's work to be reported at the Annual Meeting--one copy to be retained one to the President and one to the Recording Secretary.

15. No chairman shall incur any expense without the approval of the Board.

16. The President shall receive $15.00 per month for expenses.

BYLAWS

ARTICLE I-NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:
"THE VAN NUYS WOMAN'S CLUB"

ARTICLE II- PURPOSE

The objectives of this club shall be charitable as defined by Section 501(c) 3 of the Internal Revenue Code.

1. Advancement in all lines of general culture.
2. Promotion of the general welfare of the community.
3. Acquisition and holding of real estate and personal property to promote the other purposes of the organization.

ARTICLE III-MEMBERSHIP

Section 1

ALL RESIDENTS OF VAN NUYS and vicinity are eligible for membership.

Section 2

There shall be three classes of memberships:

(a) AN ACTIVE MEMBER is one who is entitled to all rights and privileges of the Club upon payment of full annual dues.

(b) AN HONORARY LIFE MEMBERSHIP may be conferred upon any member for distinguished service to the Club, upon recommendation of the Board of Directors. Such membership shall be entitled to all rights and privileges of an Active member. All Past Presidents shall automatically become Honorary Life Members.

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(c) COMPLIMENTARY MEMBERSHIP shall be conferred upon wives of all resident ministers, and representatives of the Press. Such members shall have no voting privileges.

Section 3

Applicants for membership shall be proposed in writing by a member and endorsed by two other members, all three of whom are members in good standing, said application shall be accompanied by a $5.00 fee plus Annual dues.

A candidate shall become a member of the Club upon election by the Board of Directors. Three negative votes shall exclude a candidate.

Section 4

Any member may terminate her membership in the Club by tendering her resignation in writing to the Recording Secretary and paying all dues, and upon acceptance by the Board of Directors, she shall cease to be a member. Members in good standing whose resignations are accepted may receive a card stating the fact, and such members may at any time be reinstated by paying an affiliation fee of $5.00 and the regular dues.

Section 5

"The property of this corporation is irrovocably dedicated to charitable purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer, or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person. Upon the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund,

foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

ARTICLE IV-OFFICERS

Section 1

The officers of the Club shall be: President, First Vice President, Second Vice President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Financial Secretary and Treasurer.

Section 2

An officer shall have served at least one year on the board to be eligible for the office of President.

Section 3

The Board of Directors shall consist of fourteen members and shall include: President, First Vice President, Second Vice President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Financial Secretary, Treasurer and seven other Directors. The immediate Past President shall automatically become one of the seven directors unless she is needed to fill another office. A resport of the business of the Board of Directors shall be given at the Annual Business Meeting of the Club. Nine members shal constitute a quorum for the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE V

DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1

The President shall preside at all meetings of the Club and of the Board of Directors, and shall call special meeting. She shall sign all contracts

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ordered by the Board of Directors. She shall appoint a Parliamentarian, Auditor and Chairman of all standing committees subject to the approval of the Board of Directors. She shall be a member exofficio of all appointed committees except nominating committee.

Section 2

The First Vice President shall, in the absence of the President, assume the duties of the President. She shall also serve as Federation Secretary and/or Dean of Chairmen, and shall attend all District Board Meetings.

Section 3

The Second Vice President shall, in the absence of the President and Vice President, assume the duties of the President. She shall also serve as Membership Chairman.

Section 4

The Recording Secretary shall keep the minutes of the Club and Board of Directors meetings and shall read the minutes of the Club at each succeeding meeting for approval. She shall keep the Bylaws and Standing Rule Book up to date. She shall notify all delegates of their appointments and send credentials to such delegates. She shall keep an official list of all committees.

Section 5

The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the general correspondence of the Club. She shall send out notices and notify applicants of their acceptance as members of the Club, and keep the necessary stationery and printing.

SECTION 6

The Financial Secretary shall receive all monies and remit to the Treasurer, taking a receipt for same. She shall keep the membership files up to date and shall notify members of delinquent dues.

SECTION 7

The Treasurer shall receive all monies from the Financial Secretary giving receipt for same, and shall deposit said monies in a bank designated by the Board of Directors. She shall sign all checks written for bills and obligations after being approved for payment by the Board of Directors. She shall give a monthly report to the Club and to the Board of Directors, said report to be made in triplicate, one copy to be retained, one copy to the President and one to the Recording Secretary. She shall keep in her possession one key to the safe deposit box (the President keeping the other) and shall see that all bonds and important papers be kept there.

Section 8

Directors shall be selected for specific chairmanships, i.e., Garden and Card Section, Press, House and Rentals, Programs, Ways and Means and Hospitality, and both the nominating and election ballots shall be set up accordingly.

Section 9

Two consecutive unexcused absences by any members of the Board of Directors from the monthly board meetings shall constitute a resignation, and the office shall be filled as elsewhere provided in these bylaws.

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SECTION 10

The Board of Directors shall have charge generally of the affairs of the Club, elect or reject candidates for membership; fill all vacancies in office and in the Board of Directors; appoint the Auditor; approve or disapprove and pay all bills for current expenses of the Club. No expenditure exceeding $100.00 shall be planned by the Board of Directors without a two-thirds vote of members present, taken at a regular meeting.

Section 11

Directors of the Club shall, each year, at the Board meeting in May, make a full report, to the Board, of all property, real and personal, belonging to the Club. or held in trust by it; the condition thereof, together with any recommendation relating thereto that they man deem best.

Section 12

Ten members in good standing may, at any time, request in writing, special action by the Board of Directors upon amendments proposed by them, upon complaints concerning neglected duties of, transcending of privileges, or upon any other matter of interest to the Club.

Section 13

The number of Directors of the Club may be increased to a number not exceeding thirty-one, or diminished in a number not less than three, at any regular annual election of the Club, by a two-thirds vote of the members present, provided notice of such changes has been given in a manner prescribed for amendments to the bylaws.

Section 14

All resolutions must first be presented to the Board of Directors and brought before the assembly with recommendations of the Board.

ARTICLE VI-NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS

Section 1

The nominating committee shall be formed at the first regular meeting in February and shall consist of two members appointed by and from the Board of Directors (one of whom shall be the chairman) and three members elected by the assembly.

Section 2

At the first regular meeting in March, the nominating committee shall present to the Club a list of nominees, at which time nominations from the floor will be in order. In the event there is only one candidate for each office, the Recording Secretary shall be authorized to cast a unanimous ballot at the close of nominations, in which case there will be no election held.

Section 3

The election shall be held at the regular Club meeting the fourth Wednesday in March when there is more than one candidate for an office. Polls shall open at 10:00 o'clock in the morning and close at 1:00 o'clock. At the closing of the polls, the election committee shall count the votes and announce the results of the election. A plurality vote shall elect.

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Section 4

Only members in good standing may vote.

Section 5

Officers and Directors of the Club shall be elected to serve one year, or until their successors qualify and are elected.

Section 6

The new Officers and Directors of the Club shall be installed and enter upon their duties at the closing meeting of the year.

ARTICLE VII-DUES

Section 1

Each member shall pay annual Club dues of $20.00. In addition each member shall pay the current Federation Dues. Dues are payable June 1st of each year.

Section 2

Persons applying for membership later than January first, shall have the dues for that year pro-rated to correspond with that fraction of the year remaining. This infomation to be given to them by the Membership Chairman.

Section 3

Any member whose dues remain unpaid after November 1st, shall be mailed a notice thereof by the Financial Secretary; and if unpaid at the end of thirty days, shall be dropped by announcing the fact to the Board of Directors and making a record thereof in the minutes, and notifying the member. Such a member may be reinstated by paying the initiation fee and dues.

Section 4

The Board of Directors shall have the power to remit dues of any member for one year by unanimous consent when it shall be deemed for the interest of the Club.

ARTICLE VIII-MEETINGS

Section 1

The regular meetings of the Club shall be held the second and fourth Wednesday in each month of the Club year, beginning with the second Wednesday in October and ending with the second Wednesday in June; except as otherwise ordered by the Club or Board of Directors. Twenty-five percent of members shall suffice for a quorum at any meeting of the Club, and a less number may adjourn.

Section 2

The regular annual business meeting of the Club shall be held the fourth Wednesday in May at which time the committee reports shall be presented.

Section 3

Charter Day and Past Presidents' Day shall be recognized at one regular Club meeting during the year in such a manner as the Club may direct.

Section 4

Special meetings shall be held whenever deemed advisable by a majority of the Board of Directors, or shall be called whenever requested in writing by at least one-third of the members, and presented to the Recording Secretary .

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No notice whall be necessary for any regular meeting but notice of the other meetings, their time and purpose, must be given by publication in some paper of general circulation, published in the City of Van Nuys or by sending notice by mail to each member at least two days before date thereof.

Section 5

A card of membership in any federated club located fifty miles or more from Van Nuys, shall admit to four meetings of the Club.

ARTICLE IX-SECTIONS

Section 1

Sections for special studies or work may be established by the Executive Board of the Club upon the request of ten members, each of whom shall pledge herself to become an active member of the Section, and one of whom shall be willing to take the Chairmanship.

Section 2

All Club members shall be eligible to membership in any Section.

Section 3

Each Section shall have a chairman, appointed by the President (subject to approval of the Executive Board) with the exception of the Garden Section who shall submit the name of its candidate for chairman to the Nominating Committee of the Club, no later than the second meeting in March. The chairman of each Section shall present an annual written report of the Section's activities and finances to the President, to be read at the regular annual business meeting in May.

The Section members may have such other officers as they consider necessary.

Section 4

Minutes of regular meetings and financial records of each Section shall be kept as a permanent record.

Twenty-five percent (25) of the members shall constitute a quorum for transaction of Section business. In the event a section shall be dissolved, any monies remaining in the Section treasury, shall revert to the Club treasury.

Section 5

Section fund-raising events and projects shall be approved by the Board of Directors.

Section 6

Approval of the Board of Directors shall be obtained by each Section for regular meeting dates and use of Clubhouse facilities for other occasions.

Section 7

No Section shall have authority to incur any indebtedness binding upon the Club unless approved by the Board of Directors.

Section 8

Section members may adopt Standing Rules for the operation of the Section which shall not be in conflict with the Club Bylaws and Standing Rules, with the approval of the Board of Directors.

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Section 9

No Section shall become affiliated with any outside organization.

Section 10

Each Section shall be self-sustaining. If the question of engaging a paid instructor, should arise, or the purchase of supplies and/or materials for members under instruction, the Section shall assume full responsibility.

ARTICLE X-PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY

Robert "Rules of Order" revised, shall be the authority for the business meeting of the Club, except when it conflicts with the Bylaws of Standing Rules.

ARTICLE XI

These Bylaws may be amended at any regular meeting by a two-thirds vote of members present, provided notice of the proposed amendments has been given at the previous regular meeting. Such Bylaws shall take effect immediately unless a future time has been given in the motion to adopt.

ARTICLE XII-COVENANT

Whereas, the provision of these Bylaws requires the signature of each member of the Club, it is hereby covenanted, agreed and understood that by signing these Bylaws, we each mutually bind and pledge ourselves to all laws and regulations of the Club made in accordance herewith, and the laws of the State of California.

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